

Senate Resolution 370

By: Senators Whitehead, Sr. of the 24th, Johnson of the 1st, Stephens of the 27th and Cagle of the 49th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Jack Nicklaus; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Jack Nicklaus is recognized as being one of the greatest golfers of all time and
3 an outstanding role model for so many persons who have aspired to play the game of golf;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, his achievements in the game of golf are legendary with 105 victories
6 worldwide, including six Master's championships, five PGA championships, four U. S. Open
7 championships, three British Open championships, and two U. S. Amateur championships,
8 and he is the all time leader in the Skins Game and Championship Skins Game; and

9 WHEREAS, he has been the top money winner eight times, the number one scoring leader
10 eight times, and has recorded 20 holes in one; and

11 WHEREAS, not only has he been an inspiration and role model to countless golfers in the
12 world, he has also been a role model in service to his fellow man through the Nicklaus
13 Children's Hospital at St. Mary's Medical Center in West Palm Beach, Florida, and the
14 Nicklaus Children's Health Care Foundation that provides assistance to pediatric patients and
15 their families; and

16 WHEREAS, Augusta, Georgia, has had the benefit of watching the accomplishments of this
17 great sportsman as he has dominated the Masters Tournament, winning an unprecedented
18 six green jackets; and

19 WHEREAS, it is most fitting and proper that the achievements of this great man are
20 recognized by this body.

21 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
22 recognize and commend Jack Nicklaus on his contributions to the game of golf, his public

1 service and dedication, and the excellent role model that he has been and extend to him their
2 best wishes for future health and happiness.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
4 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Jack Nicklaus.